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et al.

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 7, 2006, the Applicants hereby elect invention II (as identified in the Restriction Requirement) with traverse. Applicants respectfully traverse on the grounds that the claims are closely related such that examination of all claims can be made without serious burden. Even if they are properly classifiable in separate classifications, Applicants respectfully suggest that the separate inventions identified by in the Restriction contain many similar claim limitations. For example, claim 2 contains limitations similar to claim 16, claim 3 correlates with 18, claim 4 correlates with claim 19, and claim 6 correlates with claim 20. Reconsideration of the Restriction requirement is therefore respectfully requested.

Applicants believe that no fees are required in the filing of this Response. However, if it is determined that any fees are required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. SUNMP040). Should the Examiner have any questions concerning this matter, the undersigned can be reached at the telephone number set out below.

Respectfully submitted,
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